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Frantz Fanon
A Political Biography
Leo Zeilig, Institute of Commonwealth Studies, University of London

Frantz Fanon was one of the leading twentieth-century political thinkers, an activist against colonialism and imperialism, and the author of essential texts such as ‘The Wretched of the Earth’ and ‘Black Skin, White Masks’. Leo Zeilig here details the life of Fanon - from his upbringing in Martinique to his wartime experiences and work in Europe and North Africa - and frames his ideas and activism within the greater context of his career as a practising psychiatrist and his politically tumultuous surroundings. The book covers the period of the Algerian War of Independence, national liberation and what Fanon described as ‘the curse of independence’.

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Exceptional Me
How Donald Trump Exploited the Discourse of American Exceptionalism
Jason Gilmore, Utah State University, USA & Charles Rowling, University of Nebraska Kearney, USA

Donald Trump has forged a unique relationship with American exceptionalism, diverging from how presidents and presidential candidates have long communicated this idea to the American public. Jason Gilmore and Charles Rowling call this Trump’s ‘Exceptional Me Strategy’ which began with his 2016 election campaign. Through systematic comparative analysis, Rowling and Gilmore examine the departure Trump’s exceptionalist rhetoric signals from previous presidents use of exceptionalism as a tool of political communication - rather than America (its institutions, ideals and people) being exceptional, it is Donald Trump himself who holds the key to American exceptionalism.

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Hate in Precarious Times
Mobilising Anxiety from the Alt-Right to Brexit
Neal Curtis, University of Auckland, New Zealand

This book takes a theoretically informed cultural studies approach to examine why the politics of hate and ideologies of the far-right are on the rise. Neal Curtis argues that to counter it we must challenge the sense of social and economic precarity this politics feeds off. Hate in Precarious Times examines five distinct types of precarity, which cover topics such as threats of apocalyptic terrorism; policies of austerity; and low-waged, insecure jobs in the wake of the Financial Crisis; challenges to privilege; and disinformation in a “post-truth” age. Taking an ontological and theoretically-informed approach - drawing on philosophy and media studies - this is a unique contribution to the analysis of far right politics.

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Privileged Populists
Populism in the Conservative and Libertarian Working Class
Micah J. Fleck

Counter-revolution has long been a tool of propagandists to redirect populist movements from achieving actual liberation for themselves. But what happens when counter-revolutionaries begin to believe their own claims of genuine revolution? And how big a role does mainstream political ideology and policy play in the mass ignorance and revisionism that has now allowed nationalism to influence national elections?

Privileged Populists sets out to answer these questions while aiming to understand the organic emergence of anti-populist populism within the context of late-stage capitalism in the West. This book analyses these elements as a means of appealing to the growing sense of cultural and economic unrest within the conservative working class.

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A History of the Present
Nick Bryant

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Christopher Booker & Richard North

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Vernon Bogdanor, King’s College London

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Trust, Politics and Revolution
A European History
Francesca Granelli, King’s College London, UK

Tracing the relationships and networks of trust in Western European revolutionary situations from the Ancient Greeks to the French Revolution and beyond, Francesca Granelli here shows the essential role of trust in both revolution and government, arguing that without trust, both governments and revolutionary movements are liable to fail. The first study to combine the importance of trust and the significance of revolution, this book offers a new lens through which to interpret revolution, in an essential book for all scholars of political science and historians of revolution.

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Autobiographical Cultures in Post-War Italy
Life-Writing, Communism and Feminism
Walter S. Baroni, University of Manchester, UK

After the Second World War, two contrasting movements became increasingly active in Italy - the communist and feminist movements. In this book, Walter Baroni uses autobiographical life-writing from both movements’ key protagonists - including analysis of Giorgio Napolitano and Laura Lepetit - to shed new light on the history of these movements and more broadly the similarities and differences between political activists in post-war Italy.

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Ireland and the Magdalene Laundries
A Campaign for Justice
Katherine O’Donnell, University College Dublin, Claire McGregor, James M. Smith, Maeve O’Rourke & Mari Steed

Using the state’s own report into the Magdalene institutions, as well as testimonies from survivors and independent witnesses, this book gives a detailed account of life behind the high walls of Ireland’s Magdalene institutions. The book offers an overview of the social, cultural and political contexts of institutional survivor activism, the Irish State’s response culminating in the The Ryan Report, and the formation of the Justice for Magdalenes campaign, a volunteer-run survivor advocacy group. The result is a damning assessment of how the Irish State continues to evade its responsibilities, not merely to survivors of the Magdalenes but also in providing a truthful account of what happened.

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Democracy in Southern Europe
Colonialism, International Relations and Europeanization from Malta to Cyprus
Isabelle Calleja Ragonesi, University of Malta

How have Malta and Cyprus - both EU members - transitioned from colonial island states to independent democracies? With the assistance of primary documentation this book traces the difficult path of these two states to becoming independent liberal democracies. Using socio-economic and political data, analysed through the microscope of political science and international relations theories, Isabelle Calleja Ragonesi charts the progress of the two islands in the context of a number of four distinct phases: decolonization, independence, post-colonial independence; sovereign nation-state status and finally attempts to reach substantive democracy status and EU membership.

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National Identity in Serbia
The Vojvodina and a Multi-Ethnic Community in the Balkans
Vassilis Petsinis, University of Tartu, Estonia
This book analyses the evolution of Vojvodina's identity over time and the unique pattern of ethnic relations in the province. Although approximately 25 ethnic communities live in Vojvodina, it is by no means a divided society. Vassilis Petsinis explores Vojvodina's multicultural society and shows how this has facilitated the introduction of flexible and regionalized legal models for the management of ethnic relations in Serbia since the 2000s. He also discusses recent developments in the region, most notably the arrival of refugees from Syria and Iraq, measuring the impact that these changes have had on social stability in the province.

Women and Industry in the Balkans
The Rise and Fall of the Yugoslav Textile Sector
Chiara Bonfiglio, University College, Cork, Ireland
Women's emancipation through productive labour was a key tenet of socialist politics in post-World War II Yugoslavia. The breakdown of Yugoslavia in 1991 resulted in factory closures, forcing thousands of garment industry workers into precarious and often exploitative private-sector jobs. Drawing on more than 60 oral history interviews with former and current garment workers, as well as workplace periodicals and contemporary press material collected across Croatia, Macedonia, Serbia, Bosnia-Herzegovina and Slovenia, Women and Industry in the Balkans charts the rise and fall of the post-socialist transition.

The Albanian Bektashi
History and Culture of a Dervish Order in the Balkans
Robert Elsie
In this, his final book, Robert Elsie analyses the Albanian Bektashi and considers their role in the country's history and society. Although much has been written on the Bektashi in Turkey, little has appeared on the Albanian branch of the sect. Robert Elsie considers the history and culture of the Bektashi, analyses writings on the order by early travellers to the region such as Margaret Hasluck and Sir Arthur Evans and provides a comprehensive list of tekkes (convents) and tyrbes (shires) in Albania and neighbouring countries. Finally he presents a catalogue of notable Albanian Bektashi figures in history and legend.

Power and Conflict in Russia's Borderlands
The Post-Soviet Geopolitics of Dispute Resolution
Helena Ryttöväri-Apunen, Tampere Peace Research Institute
Helena Ryttöväri-Apunen draws on a range of empirical research and case studies to explore the dynamics of interactions between ethnic groups in the Russian Federation. This book provides a balanced assessment and critique of the assumptions and misunderstandings that inform mainstream discussions, as well as as well as between the peoples and their complex historical contexts. At a time when there is an increasing tendency to view Russia as the source of all instability in Eastern Europe, Power and Conflict in Russia's Borderlands unpacks the geopolitics of Russia.

The Post-Soviet Politics of Utopia
Language, Fiction and Fantasy in Modern Russia
Edited by Mikhail Suslov, University of Copenhagen, Denmark & Per-Arne Bodin, Stockholm University, Sweden
More than 700 'utopian' novels are published in Russia every year. These utopias – fantasy fiction, science fiction, alternative history – express very real Russian anxieties: be they territorial right-sizing, loss of imperial status or turning into a 'colony' of the West.

Contributors to this innovative collection use these narratives to re-examine post-Soviet Russian political culture and identity. In the process The Post-Soviet Politics of Utopia sheds crucial light onto a variety of debates – including the rise of nationalism, right-wing populism, imperial revanchism, the complicated presence of religion in the public sphere and the function of language.

Armenia and Europe
Foreign Aid and Environmental Politics in the Post-Soviet Caucasus
Pål Wilter Skedsmo, Fridtjof Nansen Institute, Norway
This ethnographic study, based on new primary research, looks at aid in the South Caucasus, and its role in Armenia's relationship with Europe. In particular, Pål Wilter Skedsmo argues that the Aarhus Convention, which entitles citizens of Europe to access information and participate in decision-making in environmental matters such as infrastructure projects, has allowed Armenian citizens to adapt and control the direction of their country's political future in various ways – whether through protest activism or legal challenges. Armenia and Europe is an essential case study for scholars of development.

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Transitional Justice in Poland
Memory and the Politics of the Past
Frances Millard, University of Essex
In this study of the mechanisms of transitional justice in Poland, Frances Millard asks: How does society come to terms with its past? How should it punish the perpetrators of oppression and acknowledge its victims? Through the specific case of Poland, Millard provides a comprehensive assessment of the mechanisms and institutions used to achieve this, such as lustration, law enforcement through a Constitutional Tribunal and institutions dedicated to dealing with the past such as the Institute of National Remembrance.

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Erdogan's Empire
Turkey and the Politics of the Middle East
Soner Cagaptay, The Washington Institute, USA
Today, in addition to a domestic crackdown on dissent and journalistic freedoms, driven by Erdogan's style of governance, Turkey faces a hostile world. Ankara has nearly no friends left in the Middle East, and is under threat from resurgent historic adversaries: Russia and Iran. Furthermore, Turkey cannot rely on the unconditional support of its traditional Western allies.

Here the leading authority Soner Cagaptay, author of The New Sultan, provides a masterful overview of the power politics in the Middle East and Turkey's shifting place in it. This new edition is updated to include recent events in Syria.

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Turkey and the Soviet Union During World War II
Diplomacy, Discord and International Relations
Onur Isci, Bilken University, Turkey
Based on newly accessible Turkish archival documents, Onur Isci's study details the deterioration of diplomatic relations between Turkey and the Soviet Union during World War II, when the relations between the two plunged to several degrees below zero. For the Russians, hostility was based on long-term apathy stemming from the enormous German investment in the Ottoman Empire; for the Turks, on the fear of Russian territorial ambitions. This book offers a new interpretation of how Russian foreign policy drove Turkey into a peculiar neutrality in the Second World War, and eventually into NATO.

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Turkish Intelligence and the Cold War
The Turkish Secret Service, the US and the UK
Egemen Bezci, National Sun Yat-Sen University, Taiwan
This book examines the hitherto unexplored history of secret intelligence cooperation between three asymmetric partners – the UK, US and Turkey – from the end of the Second World War until the Turkey’s first military coup d’etat on 27 May 1960. The book shows that our understanding of the Cold War as a binary rivalry between the two blocs is too simple an approach and obscures important characteristics of intelligence cooperation among allies. By doing so this book not only reveals previously-unexplored origins of secret intelligence cooperation between Turkey and West, but also contributes to wider academic debates on the Cold War.

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Cyprus Before 1974
The Prelude to Crisis
Marilena Varnava
This book seeks to unpick the internal conflicts which led to the failure of the peace process in Cyprus. The study focuses on the events of 1968 when the Greek-Cypriot political leadership failed to grasp the nature of the changes within the island's post-independence arena. Recurrent attempts within both communities during the talks of that year to create facts accomplishes favourable to their own bargaining positions served to heighten the barriers to a peaceful outcome. This study enlarges our understanding of the underlying issues which the Turkish invasion of 1974 were to throw into stark relief.

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Turkey in Africa
Turkey's Strategic Involvement in Sub-Saharan Africa
Federico Donelli, University of Genoa, Italy
Federico Donelli brings to light the extent of Turkey's involvement in Africa and analyses the unique characteristics, benefits, challenges and limits of Turkish policy in the region. The book examines the Turkish diplomatic programme as well as its domestic reception, which includes humanitarian aid, religious links such as the OIC (Organisation of Islamic Cooperation), as well as private business links. Crucially, Donelli examines what makes Turkish involvement different from that of other international actors in the region – its historic ties with North Africa under the Ottoman Empire.

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Leadership for Peace in Africa
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As concerns mount about the continued relevance and efficiency of UN peace operations, Youssef Mahmoud – who headed several challenging peace missions in Africa – draws on many years of experience to offer insights into how political leadership might be exercised to help restore and nurture peace. Making extensive use of the author's unique personal experiences, the book offers an unparalleled insight into the leadership challenges of complex conflict situations.


Politics and Pan-Africanism
Diplomacy, Regional Economies and Peace-Building in Contemporary Africa
Dawn Nagar, Centre for Conflict Resolution at Cape Town, South Africa
Offering an investigation of the diplomatic and economic regional power structures in Africa and their relationships with each other, Dawn Nagar discusses the potential and future of pan-Africanism. The three primary regional economic communities (RECs) that are recognised by the African Union as the key building blocks of a united Africa are examined, providing a detailed overview of the current relationship between these power blocs. This book provides insight into the current state of diplomatic and economic relations within Africa and shows how far it has to go for a future of Pan-Africanism.


Angola at the Crossroads
Between Kleptocracy and Development
Rui Santos Verde, African Studies Centre, University of Oxford, UK
Angola is the third largest economy in Sub-Saharan Africa and plans to accede to the Commonwealth but it is poised precariously at a crossroads between a past marked by civil war and corruption and a future of potential economic development. This book examines the post-Civil War period which began in 2002 and saw the rise of corruption, as well as recent developments in the country, such as the efforts of the current President Joao Lourenço, to reform the regime through political openness, economic growth and a crackdown on corruption. Rui Santos Verde analyses the country’s recent history and the current attempts at reform in order to determine whether economic and political development is on the horizon for Angola, or whether these reforms are simply a move towards consolidating President Lourenço's personal power.

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In The Shadow of Mandela
Political Leadership in South Africa
Alexander Johnston, Durban University of Technology, South Africa
This outstanding and original work goes to the heart of South Africa’s political problems: doubts as to the sustainability of the post-apartheid settlement, beset with divisions in the ruling ANC, factionalism, corruption and the widening of fault-lines in state and society. The ‘leadership issue’ has become key and this will be the first specific examination of leadership in the light of Mandela’s legacy and its effect on his successors. Alexander Johnston argues against potential leaders operate in ‘the shadow of Mandela’, as the architect of the transition from apartheid to democracy, and with overarching moral authority and international reputation. This book is the first to outline what that means politically for the new South Africa.

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Insurgency and War in Nigeria
Regional Fracture and the Fight Against Boko Haram
Akali Omeni, University of Leicester, UK
This book is the first to focus on the military nature of Boko Haram, the reasons for its success in the specific regions of the Chad basin it operates in, and a detailed history of the Nigerian army’s counter-insurgency – with whom, uniquely, the author has spent research time. The book identifies and analyses the battles and skirmishes on the front line, as well as unearthing a wider explanation for Boko Haram’s military success and revealing how counter-insurgency failures are at the root of instability in the region.

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Post-Conflict Security in South Sudan
From Liberal Peacebuilding to Demilitarization
Nyambura Wambugu, University of Juba, South Sudan
Why have policies of liberal peacebuilding failed to bring lasting stability to South Sudan? Nyambura Wambugu, an academic with more than ten years’ practical advisory and policymaking experience, adopts a holistic and multi-thematic approach to address these crucial questions. Rooting her analysis as deeply as the initial militarisation of Sudan in the 1950s, Wambugu considers the complex and overlapping issues that have afflicted the region since 2005. In the process, Wambugu demonstrates the failure of the billions of dollars spent on liberal peacebuilding and elucidates the possibility of demilitarisation as a lasting and sustainable alternative.


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The Genesis of the Civil War in Somalia
The Impact of Foreign Military Intervention on the Conflict
Muuse Yusuf, United Nations

This study explores the genesis of the civil war in Somalia by analysing the defeat of Somalia in the 1977 Ogaden war. Muuse Yusuf argues that this defeat, which was prompted by the intervention of the USSR, was a turning-point which unleashed long term socio-political forces that led to the collapse of the central government of the country. By recognizing the impact of foreign military interventions in Somalia, from superpower rivalry during the cold war to the war-on-terror, and how it lead to the initiation and perpetuation of the Somali conflict, the book attempts to identify foreign military intervention as a new paradigm in the study of Somalia.

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China's New Urbanization
Inequality and the New Chinese Dream
Jiaobao Sun, King's College London, UK

Recent state-led urbanisation initiatives in China have drastically transformed Chinese rural society - closing the urban-rural divide as well as redistributing wealth and altering the flows of social mobility. In this study Jiaobao Sun asks: who are the winners and who are the losers in this process?

This book uses two case studies of different modes of state-led rural urbanisation - in the villages of Tianjin and Zhejiang - in order to assess the impact on the livelihoods of the villagers as well as the success of the development initiatives. By focusing on the villagers capabilities, assets and support provided this study examines the imbalances of rural redistribution at three levels: among social groups, among villages and between the rural-urban divide.

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Political Economy of Social Change and Development in Nepal
Jeevan R. Sharma, University of Edinburgh

This is an accessible contemporary political-economic analysis of social change in Nepal offering a fresh perspective on Nepal's transforming political economy. It draws primarily on fieldwork materials together with analysis of published and unpublished sociological, anthropological and developmental evidence on Nepal to offer a nuanced discussion on the socio-cultural ramifications of the political economy of social change in Nepal. It discusses how awareness of rights and gender, along with the collective agency of women and oppressed and marginalized groups has resulted in durable changes in how individuals, groups, and institutions interrelate.

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Myanmar's Rohingya Genocide
Identity, History and Hate Speech
Ronan Lee, Queen Mary University of London, UK

The genocide in Myanmar has drawn global attention as Nobel Peace Prize laureate Aung San Suu Kyi appears to be presiding over human rights violations, forced migrations and extra-judicial killings on an enormous scale. This unique study draws on thousands of hours of interviews and testimony from the Rohingya themselves to assess and outline the full scale of the disaster. Casting new light on the Rohingya identity, history and culture, this is an essential contribution to the study of the Rohingya people and to the study of the early stages of genocide. Ronan Lee adds convincingly to the body of evidence that the government of Myanmar has enabled a genocide in Rakhine State and the surrounding areas.

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Civil Society and Citizenship in India and Bangladesh
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Prese ends new primary and secondary multi-disciplinary research exploring the opportunities and challenges facing civil society in today's India and Bangladesh. The book examines changing citizenship rights and the contrasts and commonalities between the two nations. It looks at the issues associated with changing gender relations - as well as religious freedom, inter-faith (in)tolerance and secularism. This multi-disciplinary volume draws on qualitative and quantitative research to offer new research findings, and contributes to theory-building on the form, functioning and democratic role of civil society in the twenty-first century.

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Kashmir in Conflict
India, Pakistan and the Unending War
Victoria Schofield
This book examines the Kashmir conflict in its historical context, from the period when the valley was an independent kingdom right up to the struggles of the present day. Drawing upon research in India and Pakistan, as well as historical sources, this book traces the origins of the state and explores the implications of independence for Kashmir. With a new chapter covering recent developments in the region - including the implementation of martial law and the election of the BJP in India - this is the essential guide to the long-running conflict.

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Remembering the Great War in the Middle East
From Turkey and Armenia to Australia and New Zealand
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This book addresses the conflicts, myths, and memories that grew out of the Great War in Ottoman Turkey. In Australia and New Zealand, and in the post-Ottoman Middle East, the memory of the First World War still has an immediacy that it has long lost in Europe. This volume analyses these complex configurations: why these entanglements became possible; how shared or even contradictory memories have been constructed over the past hundred years; and how differing historiographies have developed. The book reaches towards a new conceptualization of the “long last Ottoman decade” (1912-22), one that places this era and its actors more firmly at the centre of a history of a Greater Europe, a history comprising – as contemporary maps showed – Europe, Russia, and the Ottoman world.

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The International Deradicalisation Agenda
Tahir Abbas, Leiden University, The Netherlands

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This book outlines Afghanistan’s past and present instability. Given the country’s extensive cross-border ethnic, linguistic, sectarian and cultural ties with its neighbours, whatever transpires in the war-torn country has regional and global security implications. The book is the first to focus on the current defensive policies the states of Central Asia have in place in the event of the Afghan situation deteriorating further. It also considers the positions and policy responses of these influential actors in the region: Russia, China and the United States. The authors assess the convergence of interests between these great powers in stabilising Afghanistan, and their divergence of geopolitical objectives in the region.

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Marine Resources, Climate Change and International Management Regimes
Edited by Andreas Østhagen, Fridjof Nansen Institute, Norway & Andreas Raspopthik, The Arctic Institute, Norway

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The Managed Retreat of Coastal Areas
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This book addresses the social, cultural and political context of the process of managed coastal realignment, the strategic abandonment of the coast, as a means of coping with ecological changes. With a specific focus on the Blackwater Estuary in Essex, Stuart Oliver analyses the cultural and social implications of managed retreat and proposes managed realignment as a practical way in which society can rethink itself, address the new realities of the environment and move towards developing a more sustainable relationship with it.

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The Polar North is known to be home to large gas and oil reserves and its position holds significant trading and military advantages, yet the maritime boundaries of the region remain ill-defined. In this, the third of three volumes, the latest research and analysis from the world’s leading Arctic research body - the Fridtjof Nansen Institute - is brought together for the first time. Arctic Governance: Norway, Russia and Asia investigates the foreign policy discourses of Arctic governance, specifically regarding international relations and competing interests between Norway, Russia and various Asian states.

Black Flags of the Caribbean
How Trinidad Became an ISIS Hotspot
Simon Cottle, University of Kent, UK
In 2017, Trinidad and Tobago ranked first place in the list of western countries with the highest rates of foreign-fighter radicalization, with over 240 nationals travelling to Syria and Iraq to join ISIS’ caliphate.
Simon Cottle investigates how ISIS came to gain such an unlikely, yet significant foothold in Trinidad. Based on a three-year investigation in the country, featuring interviews the families and friends of those who left to join the jihad, Muslim activists and community leaders, imams, politicians, and intelligence agents, this book presents the social forces and communities in Trinidad that have been affected by ISIS.

People Power
Why We Need More Migrants
Giles Merrit, Friends of Europe, Brussels
Economics and migration expert Giles Merritt seeks to explode the most common myths about European migration and show why Britain needs more migrants if we are to prosper in the 21st Century. He shows how the west’s aging population needs renewal, and shows in clear and accessible writing how governments must adapt and look to increase migration in order to meet the challenges of the modern world. The result is a clear-eyed assessment of the issues, and a practical way forward for the west which preserves our political democracies by rejecting the politics of the right.

Juan Peron
The Life of the People’s Colonel
Jill Hedges, Oxford Analytica
Within Argentina, Juan Domingo Peron continues to be the subject of exaggerated and diametrically opposed views. Outside Argentina, Peron’s charisma, political influence and controversial nature continue to generate interest, yet he remains somewhat of a mystery to the rest of the world. Jill Hedges argues that ‘Peronism’ remains a key influence in Argentine politics, and that this legacy constrains the development of viable political alternatives. This new biography explores the life and personality of this monumental figure and asks why he remains a political icon despite the negatives associated with his sometimes extreme persona.
Cold War Berlin
Confrontations, Cultures and Identities
Edited by Scott H. Krause, Stefanie Eisenhuth, Centre for Contemporary History Potsdam, Germany & Konrad H. Jarauisch, UNC, USA
A wide range of transatlantic contributors addresses Berlin as a global focal point of the Cold War, and also assess the geopolitical peculiarity of the city and how citizens dealt with it in everyday life - exploring not just the implications of division, but also the continuing entanglements and mutual perceptions which resulted from Berlin's unique status. Finally, the book then asks how these experiences were and are told: What identities did the division create, what narratives did it produce and how do they shape today's debates? This is an essential contribution to the study of Berlin in the twentieth century, and the effects - global and local - of the Cold War on a city.

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Feminine Fascism
Women in Britain's Fascist Movement
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The British Fascists, the first fascism movement in Britain, was founded by a woman in 1923. During the 1930s, 25 per cent of Sir Oswald Mosley's supporters were women, and his movement was 'largely built up by the fanaticism of women.' This groundbreaking study continues to fill a significant gap in the historiography of British fascism, which has generally overlooked the contribution of women on the one hand, and the importance of sexual politics and women's issues on the other. This new edition includes a preface analyzing the current affairs of the last 20 years through the lens of women and far-right politics.

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Terrorism in the Cold War
State Support in the West, Middle East and Latin America
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Using a wide range of case studies including the British State and Loyalist Paramilitaries in Northern Ireland, as well as the United States and Nicaragua, this book sheds new light on the relations between state and terrorist actors, allowing for a fresh and much more insightful assessment of the contacts, dealings, agreements and collusion with terrorist organizations undertaken by state actors on both sides of the Iron Curtain.

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Britain in Egypt
Egyptian Nationalism and Imperial Strategy, 1919-1931
Jayne Gifford, University of East Anglia, UK
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Statesmen in Caricature
The Great Rivalry of Fox and Pitt the Younger in the Age of the Political Cartoon
N. G. Howe
Neil Howe here shows how 'stock images' came to the fore and examines the central role they played within the visual representation of politicians during the late-eighteenth century. His book also chronicles how the biggest political rivalry of the age played out within contemporary caricature: from the emergence of Fox and Pitt as big political beasts in the wake of the American Revolution; through the East India Bill Crisis; the Regency Crisis and the French Revolution. Includes colour reproductions of the work of some of the great caricaturists of the age, including James Gillray.

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A New Theory and Practice of Diplomacy
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Great Power Politics in the Fourth Industrial Revolution
The Geo-economics of Technological Sovereignty
Glenn Diesen, National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow
How and why will the fourth industrial revolution impact great power politics? Here, Glenn Diesen utilizes a neoclassical approach to great power politics to assess how far the development of AI, national and localized technological ecosystems and cyber-warfare will affect great power politics in the next century. The reliance of modern economies on technological advances, Diesen argues, also compels states to intervene radically in economics and the lives of citizens, as automation radically alters the economies of tomorrow.

The Rebirth of Area Studies
Challenges for History, Politics and International Relations in the 21st Century
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Hybrid Warfare
Security and Asymmetric Conflict in International Relations
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War and the City
Urban Geopolitics in Lebanon
Sara Fregonesi, University of Birmingham
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Research, Political Engagement and Dispossession
Indigenous, Peasant and Urban Poor Activisms in the Americas and Asia
Edited by Dip Kapoor, University of Alberta, Canada & Steven Jordan, McGill University, Canada

This book considers research engagements with indigenous, small peasant, urban poor and labour social activism against colonial capitalist dispossession and exploitation in Asia and the Americas. Featuring contributors from across disciplines, it demonstrates how research done for and with these struggles against dispossession by mining, agribusiness plantations, conversation schemes, land-forest grabs, water projects, industrial disasters and the exploitation of workers and forced migrants, can advance their social and political prospects.

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Urban Sustainability and Justice
Just Sustainability and Environmental Planning
Vanessa Castán Broto, University of Sheffield, UK & Linda Westman, University of Sheffield, UK

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Meera Tiwari, University of East London, UK
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